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Kewanna Fall Festival, Sept. 28, 29 and 30

The Kewanna Fall Festival will get underway beginning at 2 p.m. Friday, September 28, and run through Sunday, September 30. The event is sponsored by Kewanna H.E.A.R.T. and supported by the Fulton County Community Foundation and REMC Operation Roundup Trust with contributions from Northern Indiana Public Service Co., Rochester Telephone Co., Rochester Wal-Mart, Fulton County Tourism, Embarq and First Federal Savings.

There will be free circus performances at 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. Friday and Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday, sponsored by Community State Bank, Kewanna Metal Specialties and Winamac Coil Spring. There will also be free carnival rides from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, and 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Sponsors of the free rides include WROI Radio, Fulton-Marshall County Co-op, Harrison-Metzger Funeral Homes, The Observer, Ron's Carpet, Luke's Auction, Smith, Sawyer Smith, Woodlawn Medical Professionals, Crop Fertility Specialists, Key Discount Tire, Rochester Moose Lodge, BotanicChoice.com and Irving Materials.

The event will also feature a tractor and power show, free barnyard petting farm, pony rides, canine demonstration, historic battle re-enactment, a remote control car and truck race, cake walk, scarecrow contest, children's contests, 50/50 and quilt drawings, an auction and two stages with free live entertainment.

A parade honoring "Home Town Heroes" will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, followed by a 5-K run, 2-mile walk for fun and a Little Chiefs fun run at 3 p.m.

The Kewanna Kafe will be serving a fish fry beginning at 4 p.m. Friday evening until sold out; biscuits and gravy Saturday and Sunday morning; and pizza by the slice Saturday evening from 5 to 10 p.m. There will also be numerous other food vendors.

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Youth Essay Contest Deadline, Oct. 22

Indiana eighth graders are invited to participate in the annual essay contest sponsored by Indiana Farm Bureau, Indiana Farm Bureau Insurance and Sen. Richard Lugar.

"Energy Aware – Energy Independent" is the theme for the youth essay contest, according to IFB 2nd vice president, Isabella Chism.

"This year we want students to consider the different types of alternative energy – wind, solar, biofuels, etc., - available to us as we pursue energy independence," said Chism. "What can farmers to do lead the way for a sustainable energy future?"

Contest brochures have been mailed to public schools and to home school representatives. The brochure is also available as a PDF file on the Indiana Farm Bureau website at www.Infarmbureau.org in the "Events" section. All essays must be mailed to your Farm Bureau county woman leader and must be postmarked no later than Oct. 22, 2007.

Essays will be judged on the basis of correct grammar and punctuation, spelling, understanding of the topic, neatness and overall appearance, originality and creativity.

One boy and one girl from each of Farm Bureau's ten districts will be chosen as finalists and will win $50 U.S. Savings Bonds. The state winners – one boy and one girl – will be honored at Indiana Farm Bureau's annual convention, Dec. 7 and 8, and will win a trip to Washington, D.C.

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The News In Brief

Prenatal classes will be held on consecutive Thursdays, October 4 through November 1 from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Pulaski Memorial Hospital conference center. There will be a breastfeeding class held November 8 from 7 to 9 p.m. To register call 574-946-2193 Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. If you deliver at PMH, there is no charge for the classes.

Five additional counties in southwestern Indiana (Knox, Daviess, Martin, Pike and Dubois) will be changed from the Central to Eastern time zone on November 4 when daylight saving time ends and standard time begins. The counties jointly petitioned for the change earlier this year.

Allied Waste picked up a total of 3,020 pounds of recyclables from Kewanna curbsides in August.

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Benefit Spaghetti Dinner for Rylee Daugherty

A benefit spaghetti dinner will be served Saturday, October 6, from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Winamac United Methodist Church for Rylee Daugherty, who is undergoing treatment for cancer. The cost of the meal is $5.00.

A benefit auction will be held the same evening at 6:30 p.m. There will also be a bake sale and a raffle.

Rylee is the daughter of former Kewanna resident, Andrea Troutman Hook. She is the granddaughter of Sherri Lett, Kewanna, and Tim Troutman, Leiters Ford. Helen Whiteman of Kewanna is Rylee's great-granddaughter.

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Desserts Needed for Chicken/Noodle Dinner

The Winamac Coil Spring Relay for Life team will host its annual chicken and noodle dinner Friday, October 5, in the community room of the Kewanna-Union Township Fire Station. Kewanna residents are asked to contribute desserts for the meal. The desserts should be delivered to the fire station between 1:30 and 3:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Tina Pesaresi at 574-653-3941.

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Vera Bradley Bingo at Winamac

The Pulaski County Extension Homemakers will host a Vera Bradley bingo Tuesday, October 9, at the Winamac VFW. The doors will open at 6 p.m. with games beginning at 6:30 p.m. The cost of a ticket is $20. Tickets are available by calling the extension office at 574-946-3412; Marcia Link at 574-946-6010; or Julie Kasten at 219-843-5832.

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Kewanna Fall Festival
Fri., Sat., Sun.
Sept. 28, 29 & 30
PARADE SAT.
1 p.m.
"Tribute To Home Town Heroes"
Schedule on Page Five.

Red Cross Blood Drive Recognizes Fire Prevention Week

The American Red Cross is urging residents to give blood and make and practice an escape plan in observance of National Fire Prevention Week, October 7-13. In addition to providing for the immediate needs of many fire victims, the Red Cross also works to educate people on how to prevent fires and other disasters from ever happening.

Since not all fires are prevented, there is something you can do to help your community. According to the Centers for Disease Control, fires and burns are the fifth most common cause of unintentional injury deaths in the U.S. In 2005, U.S. home fires killed more than 3,000 people and injured nearly 14,000 more, not including firefighters.

Many fire victims rely on donated plasma to treat their burns. Plasma is the yellow liquid portion of the blood that carries water and nutrients to all the cells in the body. One whole blood donation can be separated into red blood cells, plasma and platelets to help treat patients with different needs. Therefore, each blood donation has the potential to save up to three lives.

Blood drives scheduled for Fulton County in October include:

Thursday, October 18, at the Akron United Methodist Church from 1 to 7 p.m.

Tuesday, October 23, at St. Joseph Parish Hall, Rochester, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

According to the National Fire Protection Association, it's not enough to have a home fire escape plan. To escape safely, everyone in your home must practice the plan. Here are some tips for creating a home fire escape plan of your own:

- Draw a floor plan or a map of your home. Show all doors and windows.
- Mark two ways out of each room.
- Smoke alarms should be in each sleeping room, outside each sleeping area, and on every level of the home.
- Pick a family meeting place outside where everyone can meet.
- Remember to practice your plan at least twice a year.

If you are at least 17 years of age, weigh a minimum of 110 pounds and are in good general health, you may be eligible to donate blood. All donors need to present positive identification. For more information or to schedule your blood donation appointment, please call 1-800-448-3543.

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Recycling Dates
Friday, Oct. 12th and Friday, Oct. 26th

17th Annual Bazaar at Fulton Methodist

The Fulton United Methodist Church will host its 17th annual church bazaar Saturday, October 6, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the basement fellowship hall.

In addition to a large variety of craft items, the church will offer its famous mincemeat, an October tradition since 1959, as well as homemade noodles. The church will raffle off a handmade 96" x 112" quilt in a Diamonds in the Rough pattern. Homemade cinnamon rolls and lunch will be served.

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Walking for Hope Hospice

Everyone is encouraged to "Walk the Walk for Hope Hospice" Saturday, September 29. The walk will provide a time for visiting with Hope Hospice staff and raise awareness for hospice in Fulton County. The event will take place on the Rochester Pathway. Walkers will meet at the 10th hole pavilion of Mill Creek Golf Course at 10 a.m. Parking is available in the Faith Outreach Center parking lot, 1125 East 9th Street, Rochester.

There is a $15 registration fee. T-shirts, door prizes and other prizes will be given out to the walkers. Prizes will be awarded for the oldest walker, youngest walker, longest traveled distance, and most pledges received.

The goal of the walk is to give an awareness of Hope Hospice's compassionate care at the end of life. Everyone may participate, young or old, big or small. It is hoped that families of loved ones will be able to come and walk and remember their loved ones while raising support and awareness for Hope Hospice. For more information or to order pledge sheets, call Dan Purkey at 574-224-4673.

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Cass County E.H. Craft Show, October 6

The Cass County Extension Homemakers will host its annual craft show from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, October 6, in the community center of the Cass County 4-H Fairgrounds.

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AREA FIVE MENU
Kewanna Fire Station

Monday, October 1 – Cheese sandwich, broccoli soup, carrots, cookie, crackers and milk

Wednesday, October 3 – Turkey Manhattan, mashed potatoes, beets, fruit jello, white bread and milk

Friday, October 5 – Cheeseburger sandwich, toss salad, peas, apricots, and milk

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HOSPITAL NOTES....

WOODLAWN HOSPITAL
September 14
Births – Cullen and Natasha Braun Ulerick, Twelve Mile, a daughter
September 17
Admissions – Marilyn Jones, Rochester; David Alderfer, Mentone
Dismissals – April Eriks, Rochester; Natasha Braun Ulerick and daughter, Twelve Mile
Births – Stacy and Brandi Ringen, Winamac, a son
September 18
Admissions – Sharon Peters, Rochester
Dismissals – Naomi Livingston, Rochester
September 19
Admissions – none published
Dismissals – David Alderfer, Mentone; Brandi Ringen and son, Winamac
September 20
Admissions – Garrett Armstrong and Donna Rans, Rochester
Dismissals – Marilyn Jones, Rochester
Births – Brandon and Brook Conley, Rochester, a daughter
September 21
Admissions – none published
Dismissals – Garrett Armstrong and Donna Rans, Rochester

PULASKI MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
September 13
Births – Jason Lyle and Melissa Rae Kletz, North Judson, a son, Johnathan Lyle Kletz
September 14
Admissions – Johnathan Wyma, North Judson
Dismissals – Byron Henry, Winamac; Hugh Wilbourn, Star City; Janice Reinhold, Monterey; Melissa Kletz and son, North Judson
September 15
Admissions – Beth Rodriquez, Leiters Ford
Dismissals – Rita Mrozinski, Winamac; Jennifer Bonnell, North Judson
September 16
Dismissals – Beth Rodriquez, Leiters Ford
September 17
Admissions – Jena Personette, Knox; Morgan Ruff, Star City
Dismissals – Darl Sutton and Donna Pratt, Winamac
Births – Roger Dell Leblanc and Jena Diane Personette, Knox, a son, Landen James Kirkland
September 18
Admissions – Mary Anderson, Winamac; Leisha Davis, Francesville
Dismissals – Dale Bratt, Knox; Morgan Ruff, Star City
September 19
Dismissals – Hannah Poenix, Winamac; Jena Personette and son, Knox; Merlene Kiser, Star City
September 20
Admissions – Joy Schlatter, Francesville
Dismissals – Leisha Davis, Francesville
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EASTERN PULASKI MENU
October 1 – 5

Elementary Breakfast

Monday – Cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk

Tuesday – Sausage pancake, juice and milk

Wednesday – Danish, string cheese, juice and milk

Thursday – Half day of school, no breakfast

Friday – Toaster pastry, juice and milk

Elementary Lunch

Monday – Foot long hot dog, fries, applesauce, chocolate cake and milk

Tuesday – Cheese pizza, green beans, banana, cookie and milk

Wednesday – Sausage, French toast and syrup, hash browns, oranges and milk

Thursday – Half day of school, no lunch

Friday – Chicken noodle soup, peanut butter crackers, baby carrots, fruit salad and milk

Middle/High School Lunch

Monday – Burrito, broccoli, pears, brownie and milk. Choice – salad bar

Tuesday – Nacho supreme, tortilla chips, peas, orange juice cup and milk. Choice – salad bar

Wednesday – Tenderloin, parsley potatoes, fruit salad, cookie and milk. Choice – salad bar

Thursday – Half day of school, no lunch

Friday – Cheese breadsticks with salsa, green beans, peaches and milk. Choice – salad bar
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Indiana State Fairgrounds Upcoming Events

21st Annual Indianapolis Fall Boat & RV Show: Sept. 27 - 30 in the West Pavilion. Hours: Thurs. & Fri. 4 to 9 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sun. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission: $6; $4 seniors (60+); children 12 & younger free. Contact: Renfro Productions (765) 641-7712 or www.renfroproductions.com.

Clarian Health Girl Power: Sept. 29 in the Pioneer Our Land Pavilion. Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Admission: $4. Contact: Jen Griffin (317) 962-1001.

Indianapolis Senior Expo: Oct. 4 in the Toyota Blue Ribbon Pavilion. Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Admission: free. Contact: Kirstin Offenbacher (317) 472-5230 or www.ibj.com or www.seniorexpos.com.

Stewart's Indianapolis Flea Market: Oct. 5 - 7 in the Ag/Hort Building. Hours: Fri. noon to 6 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Sun. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: free. Contact: Stewart's Promotions (502) 456-2244 or www.stewartpromotions.com.

Consumer Woodworking Expo: Oct. 5 - 7 in the Toyota Exposition Hall. Hours: Fri. noon to 7 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Sun. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: $9. Contact: Zachary Zeidler (310) 415-3933 or www consumerwoodworkingexpo.com.

9th Annual Indianapolis Fall Bead, Gem, Mineral & Jewelry Show: Oct. 5 - 7 in the Northwest Pavilion. Hours: Fri. & Sat. 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Sun. 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission: $3 (good for all 3 days); children 16 & younger free. Contact: Van Wimmer (540) 384-6047 or www.toteshows.com.

Body, Mind & Spirit Expo: Oct. 6 - 7 in the Old National Bank Grand Hall. Hours: Sat. 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Sun. 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission: $8 (good both days). Contact: Mollie Haskell (541) 482-3722 or www.bmse.net.

Indianapolis Fall Home Show: Oct. 12 - 14 in the Toyota Exposition Hall. Hours: Fri. 4 to 8 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Sun. 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: $5.75 adults; $3.75 children ages 6-12. Contact: Kevin Hummer 800-756-4788 or www.rjpromotions.com.

Indiana Standardbred Horse Sale: Oct. 12 - 13 in the Champions Pavilion. Sale begins at 10 a.m. both days. Admission: free. Contact: Maria King or Tim Konkle (765) 759-9900.

Coats for Kids: Oct. 13 in the Northwest Pavilion. Hours: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: free. Contact: Julia Sipes (317) 637-5551. U.S. Coin Operated Game Auction: Oct. 13 in the Pioneer Our Land Pavilion. Hours: doors open at 8 a.m.; auction 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission: free. Contact: Ric Stephan (812) 333-9939 or www.usamusement.com.

dB Drag Racing: Oct. 13 - 14 in the Toyota Blue Ribbon Pavilion. Hours: 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Admission: $10. Contact: 800-655-0010 or www dbdragracing.com.

Alzheimer's Association Memory Walk: Oct. 14 in the 4-H Exhibit Hall & Farm Bureau Insurance Celebration Park. Hours: registration at 12:30; walk begins at 1:30 p.m. Admission: free. Contact: Katie Borth (317) 575-9620 ext. 18 or www.alzindiana.org.
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All You Can Eat
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Friday, Oct. 5, 2007
4:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Kewanna Fire Station
Carry-outs Start at 4:00p.m.
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Diabetic Education Classes
A series of group classes will be offered to anyone interested in learning more about managing Diabetes.

Class 1 — What is diabetes, monitoring, regulating blood glucose, medications, and exercise.

Class 2 — How what you eat affects diabetes, label reading, dining out, meal planning.

Class 3 — Learning to live with diabetes, personal health habits, sick-day guidelines, long-term complications, changing behavior, putting the pieces together.

Class Dates: October 10, 17, 24
Class Times: 1-3 pm or 6-8 pm
Location: Woodlawn Hospital Ambulance Garage
Cost: $10 (for series)
Instructors: Jean Herd, FNP-CS, Maureen Neeley, FNP-C, Cheryl Brandt, Dietitian, & Betsy Wolfe, Dietitian

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RSVP by October 3 to Karla Meyer, RN, Coordinator of Diabetic Education at 574-224-1268.
Our diabetic support group meets every third Wednesday from 1 p.m.- 2 p.m. in the Woodlawn Hospital Boardroom.

Caston Soccer

The Caston boys soccer team won its own tournament recently with a 5-1 win over Rossville Friday, Sept. 14, and a 4-3 shootout win over Carroll Saturday, Sept. 15. Shawn Rentschler, goalkeeper, stopped 25 shots, including two in the shutout against Carroll and was named tournament MVP.

The Comets traveled to Maconaquah Tuesday, Sept. 18, where they outshot their host 18-17 but settled for a scoreless tie. Jonathan Burns, Austin Moss, Matt Reichart, Shelby Loeffler and Preston Howard were cited for excellent defense.

Nick Roe scored twice and Garrett Johnson and Zach Ault scored in the second half against Oregon-Davis Thursday, Sept. 20, for a 4-0 win. Shawn Rentschler had seven saves and Donny McClain had three.

Tristan Conner and Bryant Brown both scored a goal and earned an assist to lead the Caston varsity soccer team to a 4-3 win over Culver Saturday, Sept. 22. Preston Howard and Donny McClain also scored for the Comets who are now 7-5-1 for the season.

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Caston Volleyball

The Caston varsity volleyball team defeated White's Sept. 18 25-6, 25-8, 25-5. Meghan Myers was the leading scorer with 23. She also had six assists. Kelsey Moss had two kills and Erika Swartzel had three serve receptions.

The varsity Comets lost at West Central Thursday, Sept. 20, 15-25, 14-25, 11-25. Hanna Black was the leading scorer with 10. Rachel Bonnell had two assists; Beth Snider had two kills; Vickie Snider had two blocks; and Erika Swartzel had three digs and two serve receptions. The JV Comets also lost to West Central, 17-25, 9-25. Brittney Baldwin was the leading scorer with eight; Jada Powlen and Chelsea Troyer had three assists. Kelsey Moss, Brittney Baldwin and Misty Gearhart had two kills and Megan Powell had two digs and two serve receptions.

The Comet volleyball team participated in a tournament at Culver Saturday, Sept. 22. The team lost to Lacrosse in their first game, 17-25, 13-25. Chelsea Troyer led the team with 14 points. Hanna Black had three assists; Beth Snider had four kills; and Erika Swartzel had five digs and seven serve receptions. Caston lost to the host team Culver in its second game, 21-25, 17-15. Rachel Bonnell had 9 points and two digs. Hanna Black and Meghan Myers had four assists; Vickie Snider had five kills, three blocks and two serve receptions; and Courtney Porterfield had two digs and two serve receptions.

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Caston Jr. High Football

Caston's 7th grade football team defeated Winamac 26-6 Sept. 18 to push its season record to 4-1. The offense was led by Josh Andreade with 160 yards and three touchdowns. Andreade also added 11 tackles on defense. Daniel Scales had five tackles and an interception. Scales also had a 55-yard fumble recovery for a touchdown.

The Caston 8th grade football team defeated Winamac 26-0. Trevor Hoover led the offense with 181 total yards and two touchdowns. Kevin Graham added 74 yards receiving with one touchdown. Zek Kesler had 50 yards receiving with a touchdown. Mitch Kerr had a two-point conversion. Hoover led the defense with 11 tackles. Phil Dilley, Mitch Kerr, Kent Burton, Kevin Graham, Graham Redweik had five tackles.

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Caston Varsity Football

The Caston varsity football team ended a 19-game losing streak Friday night, Sept. 21, with a 30-8 win over North White. The Comets forced three turnovers on the Vikings' first four possessions and scored on their first three possessions.

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Lanier Mansion is "on the map" – literally

The largest map company in America has added Lanier Mansion State Historic Site in Madison to its maps. Rand McNally & Company highlights the mansion in its new "Midwest Getaway Guide" as a not-to-be-missed attraction.

As a leader in the trip-planning tool marketplace, Rand McNally produces atlases, maps, reference and children's books, and online mapping services. The "Midwest Getaway Guide", released in June, features local treasures, including restaurants, lodging and attractions, along major travel routes in Indiana and surrounding states.

Designed and built by Madison architect Francis Costigan in 1844, the Lanier Mansion is one of the best examples of Greek revival architecture in the country. Corinthian columns line the south portico. An octagonal cupola, oculus windows and iron balustrades add to the distinctive exterior, while the interior boasts a large central hall and elegant spiral staircase. Formal gardens contain plants authentic to the period. Recent restorations to this crown jewel of Madison's Historic District have helped recapture the mansion's 19th century splendor.

Lanier Mansion was home to James Franklin Doughty Lanier, an influential figure in Indiana's history who helped move Indiana's government from Corydon to Indianapolis. He was president and a major stockholder of the Second State Bank of Indiana's Madison branch, as well as a major stockholder in the Madison and Indianapolis Railroad, the first railroad in the state.

The mansion in downtown Madison opened to the public as the city's first historic house museum in 1926 and became a National Historic Landmark in 1994. It holds several special events throughout the year, including Lanier Days in June, Spooky Mansion in October and holiday candlelight tours in November and December.

The Lanier Mansion State Historic Site is part of the Indiana State Museum and Historic Sites, a division of the Indiana Department of Natural Resources. General admission is $4 for adults, $3.50 for seniors and $2 for children. The site is open daily year-round from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., but is closed most holidays except Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day and Good Friday. Guided tours are offered hourly, with the last tour beginning at 4 p.m.

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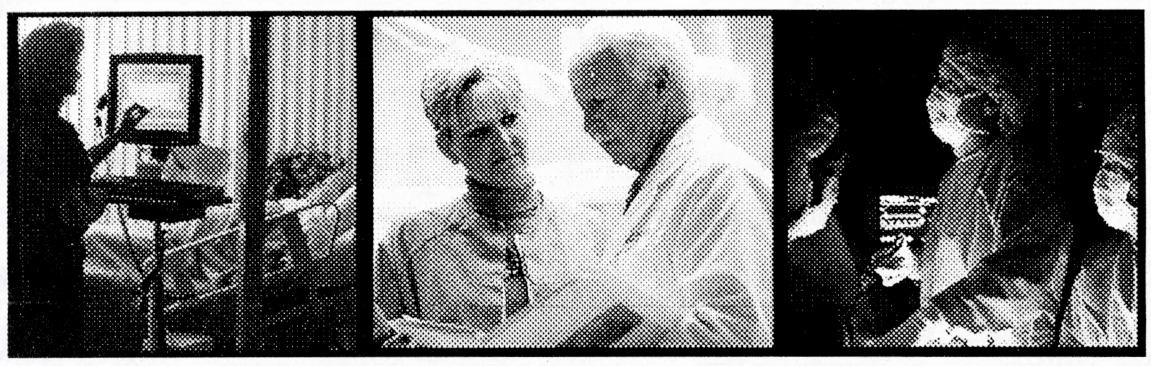

Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow

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And what do our patients say? A typical comment came from DF of Silver Lake, *"I just wanted you to know that out of the four hospitals I have been to for tests, a blood transfusion, surgery, and my radiation consult, by far I was treated the best at Woodlawn Hospital. I would recommend Woodlawn Hospital to everyone. Your hospital is great!"*

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Looking Back.....

Thirty Years Ago
September 29, 1977

The Kewanna branch of Fulton-Marshall Farm Bureau Co-op recently completed an addition of four overhead bins, each with a capacity of 13,200 bushels. An 18-inch opening in the bottom of the bins make it possible to load a semi full of grain in less than a minute. Two new drives enable workers to load out two semis at the same time. The 115-foot high elevator leg can receive high moisture corn at the rate of 100 bushels per minute.

Kent and Sheri Cook and family had a bumper pumpkin crop this year. Micah and Nathan Cook were pictured with three of the largest pumpkins, which weighed 110 pounds, 108 pounds and 95 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Ousley and Diane, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Solars and Mr. and Mrs. Ward James of Monticello and Mrs. Martha Steele of Monon enjoyed an evening out Friday and celebrated Mr. and Mrs. James' 54th wedding anniversary.

Twenty Years Ago
September 24, 1987

Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Sept. 18, in the First Baptist Church, Kewanna, for Helen M. Woolington, 76, Kewanna. Pastor Ronald Purkey officiated and burial was in the Kewanna Citizens IOOF Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Scantlen of Warsaw are the parents of a daughter born Sept. 11. The baby weighed 9 pounds and 2 ounces and has been named Hannah Christine. Mr. and Mrs. Burdette Garner of here are the maternal grandparents. The mother is the former Vicki Garner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Rude, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rude and Charlie and Mrs. Jeanette Hunter were in Fort Wayne Sunday to celebrate the second birthday of Shanda Rude with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Rude.

Ten Years Ago
September 25, 1997

Donald and Pauline Scales, Grass Creek, observed their 55th wedding anniversary September 20.

Jerry and Kenan Kimble were guests of honor at an anniversary supper Tuesday evening hosted by his parents, Dorese and Damon Miller.

Becky and Herb Zellers were in West Lafayette Saturday where they attended Parents' Day at Purdue University. In the afternoon, they attended the Purdue-Ball State football game. Becky's son, Brannon, is a freshman at Purdue.

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To Reserve the Fire Department Community Room Call Bev Baldwin at 574-653-2622 Evenings

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New Tool for Preventing Identity Theft

Attorney General Steve Carter

By now, most Hoosiers are familiar with identity theft and its potentially devastating effects on its victim's lives. Identity theft is an issue we take seriously in the attorney general's office. While some victims resolve their problems quickly, others invest a significant amount of time and money repairing damage to their name and credit record. Victims of identity theft could lose out on job opportunities, or be denied loans for education, housing or cars because of negative information on their credit reports.

At the attorney general's office, we believe the best defense for identity theft is a good offense. That's one of the reasons why we have implemented a new interactive tool at IndianaConsumer.com to help better inform people in an interactive way with an Identity Theft e-book. By visiting the website and downloading the e-book, consumers can:

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Friday, September 28th, 2007

2:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M.
Carnival Rides, Games, Food, Flea Market and Art and Craft Venders
2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.
U.F.B. Band (Main Street Stage)
2:00 P.M. - 5:30 P.M.
Emulus Christian Rock Band (North Stage)
3:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.
Past and Present Tractor & Power Show
4:00 P.M. FREE CIRCUS by: Julius Von Uhl
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4:00 - 7:00 P.M.
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4:00 - 7:00 Pony Rides
4:00 - 8:00 P.M.

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4:00 P.M. till gone
FISH FRY (Kewanna Kafé)
4:00 P.M.
LIVE RADIO - W.R.O.I. 92.1 FM / live!!
4:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
Free Balloon Creation by Balloon Artist Mark Small
5:30 P.M.
Kiss The Pig Contest (North Stage)
5:30 - 6:30 P.M.
Indiana State Police - Canine Demonstration (Main Street Stage)
6:00 P.M.
Seven Year War Demonstration (North of Ball Field)
6:30 - 10:00 P.M.
Ashley Walker - Folk Singer (North Stage)
7:00 P.M.
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7:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.
Take Five - Entertainment Band (Main Street Stage)

Saturday, September 29th, 2007
6:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.
Biscuits & Gravy Breakfast (Kewanna Kafé)
10:00 A.M. - Noon
Sonshine Boys - Southern Gospel Quartet (North Stage)
10 A.M. - 10 P.M.
Carnival Rides, Games, Food, Flee Market and Art & Craft Vendors
10:30 A.M.
Past and Present Tractor & Power Show
10:30 A.M.
FREE CIRCUS - by Baron Julius Von Uhl
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11:00 - Noon
Merkie & Missfits - Possum Ranch Puppets & Clowns (Main St. Stage)
11 A.M. - 3 P.M.
FREE CARNIVAL RIDES
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Sat., Sept. 29th, Con't.
1:00 P.M.
PARADE - Tribute To Home Town Heroes
3:00 P.M.
Chief Kewanna 5K Run & 2 Mile Walk for Fun Little Chiefs Fun Run
3:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
Hit-N-Run-Original Rock & Roll (North Stage)
3:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
2nd Chance Band - Classic and Alternative Rock and Roll (Main Street Stage)
3:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.
R. C. Car and Truck Race - Tournament 8 Classes (Ball Park)
4:00 P.M.
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Immediately After Circus - Debra Collier's School of Dance/Class Act Dance Troupe (In Circus Tent)
5:00 P.M. - 10 P.M.
Pizza By The Slice (Kewanna Kafé)
6:00 P.M.
Kewanna 4-H Union Happy Hoosiers Cake Walk / (North Stage)
6:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
J.J. Brooks - International Singer from Wales (North Stage)
7:00 P.M.
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7:30 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.
Chicago King Snakes Blues Band (Main Street Stage)
8:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.
Country and Blue Grass Band (North Stage)

Children Heroes Saturday and Sunday
Check Information Booth for Appearance Schedules...
Dora, Spider Man, Bat Man, Care Bear, Darth Vader, and Others.

Sunday, September 30th, 2007

Worship at the Church of your Choice

7:00 A.M.—11:00 A.M.
Biscuits & Gravy (Kewanna Kafe)
10:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
Carnival Rides, Games, Food, Flea Market and Art and Craft Vendors
10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.
Past & Present Tractor and Power Show (North of Ball Field)
11:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

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12:00 Noon
Seven Year War Demonstration (North of Ball Field)
12:30 P.M. - 1:30 P.M.
Beth Cummins-Singing Ventriloquist (Main St. Stage)
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1:30 P.M. - 3:30 P.M.
Tuxedo Junction - 12 Pc. Big Band Music (North Stage)
1:30 P.M.
Ron & Dave (The Uni-Brothers) Unicycle and Juggling
1:45 P.M.
Scarecrow Contest Winners Announced (Main Street Stage)
2:00 P.M.
FREE CIRCUS - by Baron Julius Von Uhl
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2:00 P.M.
Childrens Contest / Ages 4 - 15 (Main Street Stage)
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3:30 P.M.
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Kewanna Locals

Pauline Scales accompanied her daughter, Linda Garner, to Columbia City Sunday. They had a wonderful time visiting with Pauline's daughter and son- in-law, Ellen and Vic Heiden. They also had the opportunity to visit with the Heidens' son and his family, Matt and Angie Heiden, Austin and Audrey.

Barb and Tom LaFollette had callers Sunday. Arriving with pizza and strombolis for lunch were Terry and Karina Bohac, Shelby and Nick.

Those persons who will be having birthdays next week (so please remember to give them your best regards) are: Abigail Troutman, Sept. 30; Jerry Burkett, Keith Troutman, Sherry Troutman, John Vigus and Steve Young, Oct. 1; Greg Agnew, Evelyn Peters and Christopher Williamson, Oct. 2; Sheri Cook, Stacy Evans, Donovan Evers, Bill Graham and Rex Urbin, Oct. 3; Kailee Baird, Amanda Donathen, Carole Hamman, Stacy Horn, Doug Luhnow, Alissa Troutman and Kaylyn Young, Oct. 4; Alexa Eastwood, Mary Hinderlider, Jill Leazenby, Sarah Metzger, Linda Milliser, Jodie Smith, Jack Urbin and Scott Wilson, Oct. 5; and Kristin Douglass, Candy Field, Karen Good and Lyndy Pearl, Oct. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Baldwin will be celebrating their wedding anniversary Oct. 4 and Mr. and Mrs. Trent Powell will be celebrating theirs Oct. 6.

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Christian Mystery Fiction— *When The Cat's Away* (#3 of the Jacques & Cleo, Cat Detectives series) by Gilbert Morris.
Large Print Fiction— *The Lost Diary of Don Juan* by Douglas Carlton Abrams; *Play Dirty* by Sandra Brown; and *The Road to Samarcand* by Patrick O' Brian.
Nonfiction— *Amish Friends Cookbook* by Wanda E. Brunstetter.
JUVENILES:
Picture Books— *Curious George Cleans Up* (from the Curious George The Movie series) by Stephen Krensky
Ages 10 and Under Fiction— *The Berenstain Bears and The Big Spelling Bee* and *The Berenstain Bears and The Trouble with Commercials* (from the Berenstain Bears series) by Stan and Jan Berenstain and *The Big Sleepover*, *No Dogs Allowed* and *Welcome to Birdwell Island* (from the Clifford the Big Red Dog series) by Norman Bridwell.
Youth Christian Fiction in Graphic Novel Format— *I was An Eighth- Grade Ninja* (#1 of the Tomo series) by Andy Simmons; *My Double- Edged Life* (#2 of the Tomo series) by Jim Krueger; *Advent* and *Resurrection* (#1 and #2 of the Hand of The Morningstar series) by Brett Burner; and *Names, Games, and The Long Road Trip* and *Walls, Brawls, and The Great Rebellion* (#1 and #2 of the Manga Bible series) by Young Shin Lee.

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Headaches

Pat Smith
Director of Media Marketing
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About 90% of the people seeking help for headaches have one of the primary headache disorders. Those include: tension, migraine or cluster headaches.

In secondary headaches, there is an underlying disorder that produces the headache as a symptom. Many conditions produce headache; some of the most common are listed below:

Headache due to neck problems...Some headaches may be caused by abnormalities of the neck muscles resulting from prolonged bad posture (such as sitting in front of a computer keyboard or daily driving for long periods), arthritis, injuries of the upper spine, or abnormalities in the spinal bones of the neck.

Nerves in the neck converge in the trigeminal nerve in the face and can generate pain signals that the brain may interpret as headache. Pain is usually on one side; even if it affects both sides of the head it is usually more severe on one side. The quality of the headache may be similar to an aching tension headache or a mild migraine without auras.

Temporomandibular joint dysfunction (TMJ)...TMJ is caused by clenching the jaws or grinding the teeth (usually during sleep), or by abnormalities in the jaw joints themselves. The diagnosis is easy if chewing produces pain or if jaw motion is restricted or noisy. TMJ pain can occur in the ear, the cheek, temples, or neck and shoulders.

Glaucoma...Acute glaucoma is caused by increased pressure in the eye and requires immediate medical attention. Throbbing pain may be felt around or behind the eyes or in the forehead. Patients have redness in the eye and may see halos or rings around lights. Pain may be referred to other areas.

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Letter To The Editor

Restoration and Revitalization of Main Street

Originally place-named Pleasant Grove, the Town of Kewanna, after Indian removal, was founded and platted in 1845. Economic growth was minimal until Union victory was won in the Civil War (1861-1865). After 1865, Kewanna became a crossroads for two railroads and the surrounding wilds were drained and tamed for agriculture. During these "golden years" between the end of the Civil War and the Great Depression of the 1930s, Kewanna prospered and its prosperity was reflected on Main Street.

Despite the devastating effects of the Great Depression, the downtown re-gathered its financial composure and remained fairly strong after post-WWII until the 1950s when several social and economic factors altered Main Street: television, transportation, consolidation, and the growth of corporations. For the past half century, Main Street declined and many of the buildings were abandoned and derelict.

It is only recently that efforts are being made by enterprising individuals to bring new life to a dying Main Street. It is a major financial task to save and restore the remaining historic structures that have served generations. Besides pride, dedication and monies by individuals, what role can local government play in restoring and revitalizing Main Street?

The Kewanna town board can help by emphasizing their support of downtown, thereby setting a civic tone of leadership. In addition, the town board should lead the way by approving tax credits, abatements and grants, thus helping to make rehabilitation financially feasible. The town board need not be derelict in its duties, standing back, watching Main Street decay, but should lend a leadership hand. Preservation has its rewards: strengthening the economy, stabilizing property values, cultural tourism, civic pride, and appreciation of local history and aesthetic beauty. Local government has the power to protect and enhance Main Street, a job best taken to task by a town manager.

Main Street need not be made over into a 19th century image, but exude its own 21st century charm and several of the buildings could be renovated into modern apartments, retaining their historic façade. Two or three more "pocket parks" could be established; green spaces that compliment the historic architecture. The former Toner Hotel site could be purchased by the town for additional library landscaped parking to accommodate patrons to the "new" library, soon to be built. Art, history and architecture go together. Art and artists on Main Street help to solidify the town's cultural character.

Main Street needs thoughtful stewards who value our architectural heritage. Each historic building represents an investment that should not be discarded and destroyed lightly.

Restoring and revitalizing Main Street would make a livable, thriving place with a past, a present and a future.

Alan McPherson

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Treasures from the Earth

Natural treasures are unearthed each October at GeoFest, a showcase of fossils, jewelry and mineral specimens from around the world. The Indiana State Museum will host this educational event and unique shopping opportunity Friday and Saturday, Oct. 19 and 20, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. both days.

Amateur collectors and connoisseurs will be amazed at the stones displayed and available for purchase at GeoFest. Exhibitors prepare pieces by polishing, cutting or mounting them to create dazzling jewelry, striking displays for the home or distinct additions for growing collections.

GeoFest makes learning fun by using rocks and minerals in everyday life. Families and students can try activities like sifting for microfossils or creating crystal jewelry. Try your hand at limestone carving, create a homemade geode, play games and even win prizes. A documentary about Indiana caves called "Caves: Life Beneath the Forest" will show continuously in the Dean and Barbara White Auditorium, and visitors can also explore the museum's three natural history galleries, which illustrates Indiana history from a geological perspective.

GeoFest is included with regular museum admission which is $7 for adults, $6.50 for seniors and $4 for children ages 3-12.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Fulton County Commissioners are now accepting Cleaning proposals for the Fulton County Courthouse and the Fulton County Office Building. There is to be a proposal submitted on each building separately and a proposal submitted with one amount for both buildings. A listing of cleaning requirements is available at the Fulton County Office Building, in the Auditor's Office located at 125 E. 9th Street, Suite #108, Rochester, Indiana. Interested parties must be able to provide a Certificate of Liability Insurance with their proposals. Proposals will be accepted in the Auditor's Office until 4:00 p.m. on October 5th, 2007. If you have any questions, please contact the Auditor at (574) 223-2912.

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NOTICE OF ADOPTION

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the Caston School Corporation of Fulton and Cass County, Indiana, that the Board of School Trustees has established a Capital Projects Fund and adopted a plan under I.C. 21-2-15. The following is a general outline of the proposed plan:

The following is a General Outline of the Plan:	Account No.	2008	2009	2010
CURRENT EXPENDITURES:				
(1) Land Acquisition And Development	41000	0	0	0
(2) Professional Services	43000	100	100	100
(3) Educational Specifications Development	44000	0	0	0
(4) Building Acquisition, Construction And Improvements	45100	360,000	350,000	340,000
Energy Savings Contracts	45200	348,334	348,334	348,334
(5) Rent Of Buildings, Facilities, And Equipment	45500	0	0	0
(6) Purchase Of Mobile Or Fixed Equipment	47000	135,500	150,000	160,000
(7) Emergency Allocation (Other Facilities Acquisition and Constn	49000	25,000	30,000	35,000
(8) Utilities (Maintenance of Buildings)	26200	0	0	0
(9) Maintenance Of Equipment	26400	20,000	25,000	30,000
(10) Sports Facilities	45400	0	0	0
(11) Property or Casualty Insurance	26700	0	0	0
(12) Other Operation And Maintenance Of Plant	26800	0	0	0
Hardware Maintenance and Support	25860	85,700	91,000	97,500
Professional Development Costs for Admin. Tech. Personnel	25870	45,750	49,000	52,500
(13) Technology (Network Support)	22360	0	0	0
SUBTOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURES :		1,020,384	1,043,434	1,063,434
(14) Allocation for Future Projects (Cumulative totals)		0	0	0
(15) Transfer to Repair and Replacement Fund	60100	0	0	0
(16) Interest Transfer to General Fund	60100	0	0	0
TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND ALLOCATIONS :		1,020,384	1,043,434	1,063,434
SOURCES AND ESTIMATES OF REVENUE:				
(1) January 1, Cash Balance		0		
(2) Less Encumbrances Carried Forward From Previous Year:		17,248	0	0
(3) Estimated Cash Balance Available for Plan (Line 1 minus Line 2)		-17,248	0	0
(4) Property Tax Revenue		1,037,632	971,434	988,434
(5) Auto Excise , CVET and FIT receipts		0	72,000	75,000
(6) Other Revenue (Interest 1ncome)				
TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR PLAN (Add lines 3,4,5,6):		1,020,384	1,043,434	1,063,434
ESTIMATED PROPERTY TAX RATE TO FUND PLAN:		0.5279	0.5297	0.5371
BASED UPON AN ASSESSED VALUATION OF:		196,551,880	197,000,000	198,000,000

Ten or more taxpayers in the school corporation who will be affected by the plan may file a petition with the County of Auditor of Fulton and Cass County, not later than ten(10) days after the publication of this notice, setting forth their objections to the plan. Upon filing of the petition, the County Auditor shall immediately certify the same to the Department of Local Government Finance, which Department will fix a date and conduct a public hearing on the plan before issuing its approval or disapproval thereof:

Adopted this 18th day of September ,20 07 .
Board of School Trustees

(Show names and titles of board members)

Bruce E. Cress, President
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Randall D. Sommers, Secretary
Russell Phillips, Member
Joyce E. Zartman, Member

CASTON MENU
October 1 – 5
Breakfast

Choice each day with juice and milk: cereal and toast; sausage/cheese bun; ham/cheese bun; or toaster pastry

Lunch

Monday – Corn dog, potatoes, mixed fruit, animal crackers and milk. Comet Café – nachos with meat and cheese

Tuesday – Chicken patty sandwich, whipped potatoes and gravy, green beans, rice krispie treat and milk. Comet Café – roast beef sandwich and curly fries

Wednesday – Barbecue rib sandwich, seasoned potatoes, pineapple, sugar cookie and milk. Comet Café – fried chicken dinner

Thursday – Breadsticks with meat and cheese, seasoned mini cubes, apple juice and milk. Comet Café – bacon/lettuce and tomato sandwich and chips

Friday – Turkey Manhattan, whipped potatoes, peas, chocolate chip cookie and milk. Comet Café – meatball sub and French fries

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Public Notice

RESOLUTION # 091707
Of the Fulton County Commissioners
To Obtain Line-Of-Credit Loan

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2. Fixed interest rate of 3.89%.
3. Terms are for 1 year or less.
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5. Richard A. Powell, Commissioner President will be authorized to sign all loan documents to secure the line of credit.

WHEREAS, the Fulton County Commissioners are hereby authorized and directed to execute the above loan on behalf of the Fulton County Council together with any other documents required thereunder, including but not limited to Certificates of Acceptance, affidavits on behalf of the Fulton County Council, Uniform Commercial code financing code financing statements and Internal Revenue Service Forms.

THIS RESOLUTION SHALL BE EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE, PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE FULTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, FULTON COUNTY, INDIANA ON THIS 17th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2007.

Richard A. Powell, President
Roger D. Rose, Vice President
Mark J. Rodriguez

ATTEST, Denise J. Chandler
Fulton County Auditor Pub. 9/27/07

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James D. Widman, President
Mike Gearhart
David Helt
Judy DeVries
Christopher Sailors
Earl Gaerte
Gary Sriver

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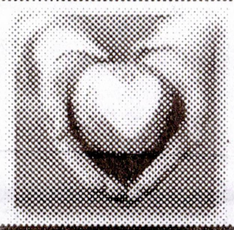
Fulton County Claims
ADVERTISING CLAIMS
for October 1st, 2007

ACS Government Inc., 1,725.00; AIT Laboratories Inc., 793.00; AT&T, 250.00; Alexander Distributing, 1,677.52; Alfred Nickles Bakery Inc., 290.40; Anco Inc., 44.00; Anderson, Mike C-P-D-J-Inc., 51.18; Appraisal Research Corporation, 6,325.33; Atlas Collections Inc., 1,143.49; B&B Mens Wear Inc., 149.90; B-Clean Windows, 170.00; Beaird Ed, 776.19; BI Incorporated, 3,243.78; BP, 34.64; Baileys Hardware Inc., 16.98; Bair, Richard P, 49.88; Bixler, Kristine, 18.97; Boone County Sheriff, 150.00; Boyce Forms/Systems Inc., 702.60; Brandeis Machinery & Supply Co., 81.02; Bratemans Inc., 83.48; Burke & Heller, 1,389.66; Burns Tire Service, 823.00; Cardinal Office Products, 84.00; Centenial Wireless, 56.12; Citicard, 823.86; Citizens Cemetery, 600.00; Collier Melissa S., 6.28; Culver Power Equipment Inc., 4.46; DTP sales & Service, 52.00; DYNA Systems Corp., 114.45; Day-Timers Inc., 20.89; Debc Metal Culverts, 5,672.44; Dubois T J, 331.50; Duke Energy, 4,781.13; ENIDS Cleaning Service, 997.67; Emergency Radio Service Inc., 2,294.00; Engineering Aggregates Inc., 23,032.23; Enyarts True Value Hardware Inc., 112.86; Fine Things, 1.96; First Financial Bank, 263.07; Four County Conseling Center, 150.00; Global Gov't/Ed, 156.11; Garver Motors Inc., 279.19; Gil Jenkins Automotive Corp., 14.76; Good Family Funeral Home, 446.64; Good Oil Co Inc., 12,380.09; Heat Power Engineering Co Inc., 75.00; Herrman & Goetz Inc., 1,588.00; Hess Bruce, 1,326.00; Howe Excavating Inc., 5,289.64; IN Council of Juv & Fam Ct Jdg., 60.00; Indiana Office of Technology, 338.81; Indiana Paging Network Inc., 64.42; J&K Excavating, 2,250.00; Jones, Diane, 60.40; Kewanna Pro Hardware & Supply, 7.14; Koorsen Protection Service Inc., 162.00; Lagrou, Jeffrey & Donna, 250.00; Law Enforcement Targets Inc., 131.99; Low Associates Inc., 5,000.00; Madlem, Gary, 340.40; McKee Letty, 36.00; Morton, Judge Douglas, 16.40; NAPA Rochester Inc., 828.08; NIPSCO, 355.85; New Holland Logansport Inc., 158.56; New Holland Rochester Inc., 1,564.17; Nextel, 35.54; No Central IN Law Enforcement, 700.00; North Central Co-Op Inc., 11,943.05; Northern Equipment Co Inc., 4,475.00; O'Herron Inc., Ray, 297.14; Observer, 242.96; Office Depot, 148.95; Plumlee Maintenance, 960.00; Poole Foods Inc., 6,378.76; Power Brake & Spring Service, 324.86; Praire Marsh Inc., 1,564.37; Purdue University, 1,168.00; Quill Corp., 725.83; Reco Equipment Inc., 78.30; Rochester Sentinel Corp., 295.16; Rock Industries Inc., 8,762.32; S R I Inc., 3,635.00; Saylor J H Inc., 82.10; Schaeffer MFG Co Inc., 1,221.90; Semmaterials L P, 56,652.86; Shaken Baby Syndrome, 19.31; Smith Agro Farms Inc., 500.00; Smith Farm Store-Rochester, 7.18; Stoops Freightliner-Ft Wayne, 1,683.22; T&T Rental, 76.76; Treasurer Fulton County, 114.00; Treasurer State of Indiana, 1,154.00; US Cellular, 88.00; United States Post Office, 6,738.00; Universal Lighting Co Inc., 212.41; VTI Inc., 343.09; Vomac Truck Sales & Service Inc., 1,777.46; Walmart Community BRC, 108.44; Waste Management Inc., 74.20; West Group Payment Center, 304.00; Wiers International Trucks Inc., 317.83; Wildman Inc., 577.89; Wilson Auto Body Shop, 128.00; Woodlawn Hospital, 16.26; X-erox Inc., 421.14; Xerox Corp., 53.01; Zimmerman Bros Funeral Home, 200.00.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, FULTON CO., INDIANA ON SEPTEMBER 24th, 2007.

DENISE J. CHANDLER
FULTON COUNTY AUDITOR

Pub. 9/27/07



Health Bites from the heart
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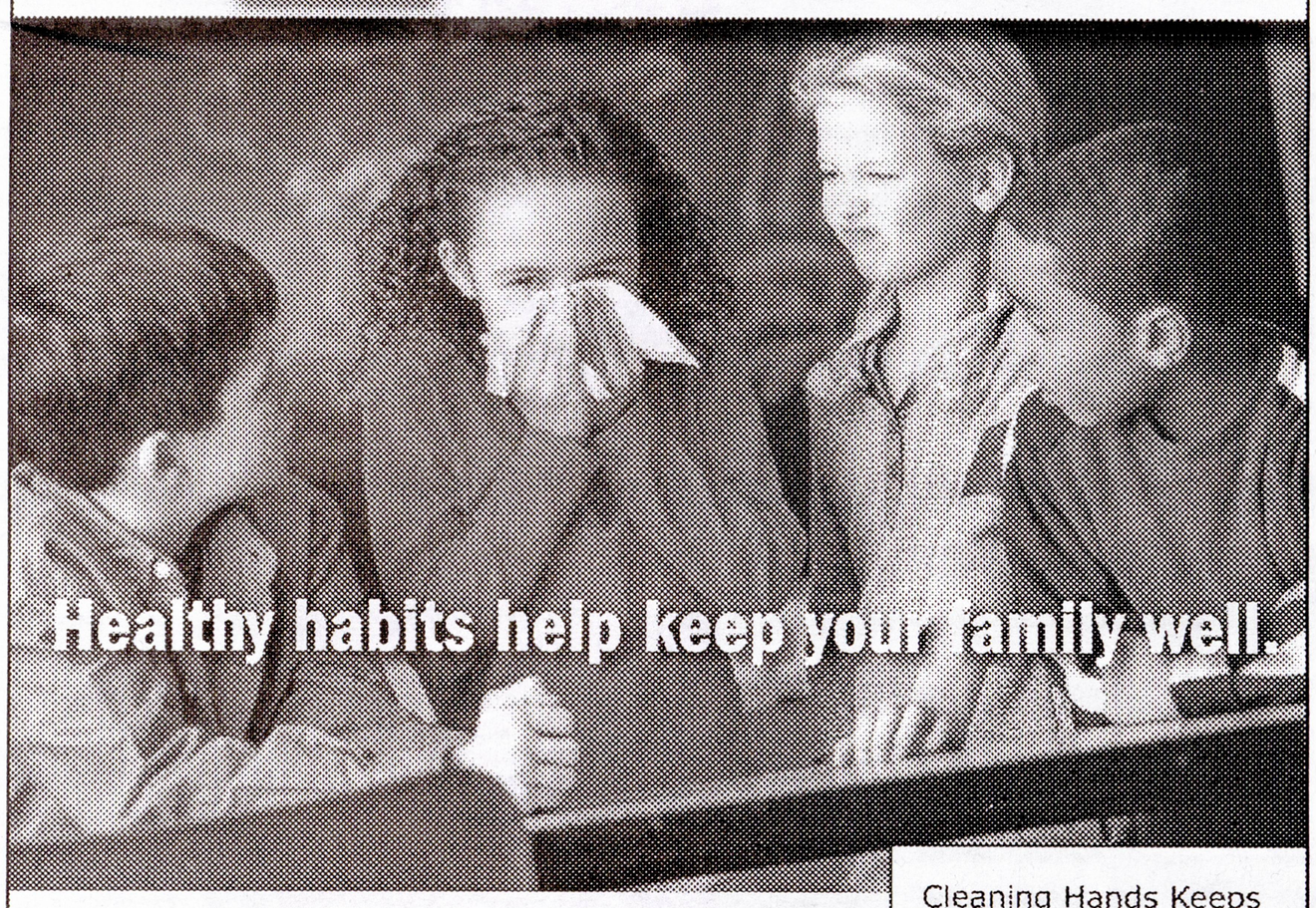

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Chuck Scheeringa and his entire family offer a sincere thank you to all of the friends and neighbors in the Lake Bruce and Kewanna area who were so generous and thoughtful during the past few months. Chuck's sister, Jackie Kaye Scheeringa, 65, sadly lost her battle with cancer Friday, Sept. 7. Your prayers, cards, calls, food, plants and donations to her memorial fund are appreciated more than you know. Even though Jackie had "special needs", she was an extraordinary person who touched everyone who was lucky enough to spend time with her. All monetary donations will be going back to the Bridges Home where Jackie lived in Merrillville.

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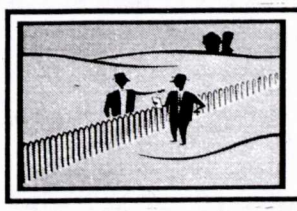

Town & Country CHATTER...

By: Julie Brown (574) 653-2451

Pauline Brown and Julie had company Tuesday, Sept. 18. Coming down in the afternoon for a visit was Pauline's brother-in- law, Ernie Brown of Granger.

Mildred McColley had a guest Tuesday. Arriving late in the day for an overnight visit was her son, Steve McColley of Muncie. During his stay he took care of several odd jobs around the house. He was in the area to attend a meeting in Plymouth Wednesday afternoon.

Mathilda Lamb had company mid- week. Coming over for a day of visiting and sorting through family keepsakes were her daughter and son- in- law, Joan and Mike Gallagher of Wilmington, Ohio.

Barb and Tom LaFollette were in Kokomo Wednesday, Sept.19. They met several of their friends at Martino's Italian Villa for snacks and a double celebration. Joining the LaFollettes were Kathy Barlow, Bill and Rita Barber, Ron and Betsy Freeman, Mona Harold, Bud Landis, Mike Martino, Tom and Shirley Miller and Lou and Beth Wilson. Everyone had a wonderful time helping Tom L. and Betsy celebrate their upcoming birthdays.

Romayne Wentzel had company Wednesday. Joining her for a visit were her son and daughter- in- law, Tim and Jeri Wentzel of Hicksville, Ohio.

Mrs. Houser, Jeanette Hunter, Mathilda Lamb, Louise Masteller and Wilma Wilson were in Fulton Wednesday. They enjoyed visiting and catching up on each others' news while dining at the Mill Creek Family Restaurant.

Don and Pauline Scales had a visitor Thursday, Sept. 20. Coming over in the evening for a family chat was their son, Bruce Scales of Fulton.

Mildred McColley had another caller at the end of the week. Stopping by Friday, Sept. 21, after attending a meeting in Winamac was her son, Ron McColley of Frankfort. He tackled a few chores in the afternoon and joined Mildred for supper at the Kewanna Kafe in the evening.

Tom and Linda Garner traveled to Valparaiso Friday evening. They had a wonderful time visiting with their daughter and her family, Amanda and Don Wassermann, Zach and Mackenzie.

Ruth Cogdill was a weekend houseguest of her daughter and son- in- law, Linda and Gordon Ligocki at Winamac.

Jackie Heidenreich had weekend visitors. Arriving Friday for an overnight stay were her daughter and grandchildren, Jaime Short, Chelsea and Zack, of Indianapolis, and Jaime's friend, John.

Tom LaFollette was the guest of honor at a surprise party Friday evening hosted by his wife, Barb. The occasion was in celebration of his birthday. Joining them for lots of food, cake and some Dairy Queen ice cream were their son and grandchildren, Chris LaFollette, Michele, Michael, Rebecca, Elizabeth and Thomas of LaPorte; their daughter and her family, Karina and Terry Bohac, Shelby and Nick, of Rochester; and their Lake Bruce neighbors, Bob and Carol Broda, Nub and Bunny Brogdon and Hugh and Scrubby Tennent.

Gordon and Linda Ligocki and Ruth Cogdill had several visitors Saturday, Sept. 22. Stopping by for a visit was Ruth's sister, Janel Norris. In the evening, the family celebrated the 10th birthday of Ruth's great- granddaughter, Lillian Helen (Lillie). Having a wonderful time helping them celebrate the occasion with dinner, lots of special gifts and a double chocolate cake were Lillie's mother and her friend, Renata and Joe; her brothers, Doran and Roan; and family friend, Dale Fleming.

Maryellyn and Hugh Tennent had company over the weekend. Stopping by for family visits were their nephew, Bill Colburn of Boca Raton, Florida, and their niece and her husband, Pam and Russ Dance of Kokomo.

Wilma Wilson had an enjoyable day Sunday, Sept. 23. She was an afternoon guest of her daughter and son- in- law, Judy and Jack Graham, of Lucerne and their family. During the afternoon, Wilma had a fun time playing with her great- grandson, Lucas. His parents are Nathan and Emily Graham of Royal Center.

Linda and Gordon Ligocki and Ruth Cogdill had dinner guests Sunday. Joining them for the meal and an afternoon of visiting were Linda and Gordon's grandchildren, Doran and Lillie, and Dale Fleming.

Helen Whiteman had a couple of visitors Sunday. Joining her for a pleasant afternoon chat were her son and daughter- in- law, Kevin and Monica Whiteman of Pulaski.

Leonard and Nancy Evers had a caller Sunday. Coming over for an afternoon visit was their daughter, Janet Yocum of Rochester.

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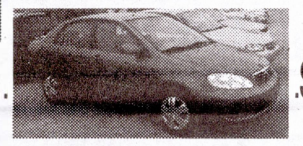

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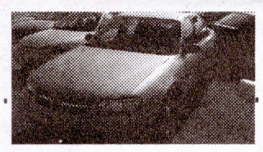

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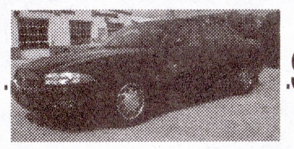

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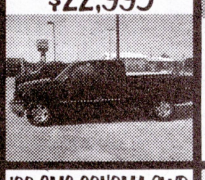

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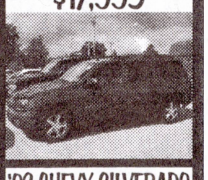

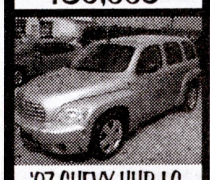

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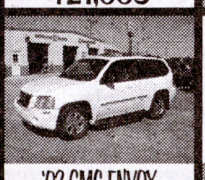

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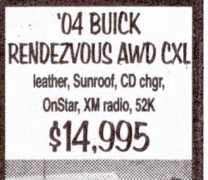

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